GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Forest Range Officers – Sri V. Jaya Ramulu, Forest Range Officer – Notional promotion as Forest Range Officer with effect from 06.09.2011 on par with his junior Sri K. Gopala Reddy, in relaxation of rule 33 (a) of A.P. State and Subordinate Service Rules – Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT FORESTS SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (SEC.V) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.89 Dated 30.08.2016.
Read the following:-

1) From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Andhra Pradesh, Letter Ref. NO. 10306/2010/HR.I, dated 25.09.2014.
2) Govt. Memo. No.5756/For.Sec.V/2014-1, EFS&T (For.Sec.V) Department, dated 18.10.2014.
3) From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Andhra Pradesh, Letter Ref. NO. 10306/2010/HR.I, dated 18.06.2015.

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ORDER:

In the reference first read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Andhra Pradesh has stated that the Departmental Promotion Committee at its meeting on 20.01.2009 for filling up of vacancies in promotion quota and the Direct Recruitment quota of Zone.IV in the category of Forest Range Officer, during the panel year 2008-09, considered the case of Sri V. Jayaramulu, Deputy Range Officer, and did not recommended for promotion as the Departmental proceedings were pending. In the said panel, two of his juniors were considered and promoted as Forest Range Officers. Subsequently, in Govt.Memo.No. 10587/For.IV/A1/2006, dated 03.05.2014, Government dropped action against the individual in the disciplinary proceedings. Consequent on cessation of Departmental proceedings, the individual requested to consider his notional promotion with effect from 06.09.2011 on regular basis on par with his juniors. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Andhra Pradesh has recommended the case of Sri V. Jayaramulu for notional promotion as Forest Range Officer with effect from 06.09.2011, fixing the seniority above Sri K. Gopala Reddy, who was his immediate junior and requested to accord permission to convene Review DPC and issue show cause notices to the affected persons based on the recommendations of the review DPC.

2. In the Govt.Memo. second read above under Rule 24 of the A.P. State & Subordinate Service Rules, 1996, permission was accorded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Andhra Pradesh to place the case of Sri V. Jayaramulu, Dy. Range Officer before the review DPC to review his case for retrospective promotion to the category of Forest Range Officer w.e.f. 06.09.2011, on par with his immediate junior and to call for the objections, if any, from the affected persons and send necessary proposals to the Government.

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3. In the reference third read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forest (HoFF), Andhra Pradesh informed that the Review Departmental Promotion Committee met on 06.01.2015 and recommended the case of Sri V. Jayaramulu, Dy. Range Officer for inclusion in the panel of Dy. Range Officers fit for promotion as Forest Range Officer in the panel year 2008-09. Show cause Notices were issued to the affected persons against the proposal to include the name of Sri V. Jayaramulu in the panel of Deputy Range Officers fit for promotion as Forest Range Officers in the panel year 2008-09 and to assign notional date of promotion as 06.09.2011 i.e., on par with his immediate junior Sri K. Gopala Reddy. No objections were received against the proposal, except from Sri N. Lakshmipathi, Forest Range Officer, Karvetinagar Range, who claimed seniority over Sri V. Jayaramulu. The objection filed by Sri N. Lakshmipathi, Forest Range Officer has been examined with reference to the records available and rule position and found that he is not eligible for inclusion in the panel year 2008-09, as he did not pass the requisite Departmental Tests at that time. Accordingly, the objection filed by Sri N. Lakshmipathi, Forest Range Officer, Karvetinagar is hereby rejected.

4. The Government, after careful examination of the matter, on consideration of the recommendation of the Review Departmental Promotion Committee and also in view of the rejection of objection filed by Sri N. Lakshmipathi, FRO, hereby assigned notional seniority and retrospective promotion to Sri V. Jayaramulu, Dy. Range Officer as Forest Range Officer with effect from 06.09.2011, in relaxation of the provisions contained in Rule 33 (a) of the A.P. State & Subordinate Service Rules, 1996, on par with his immediate junior Sri K. Gopala Reddy, Forest Range Officer.

5. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Andhra Pradesh shall take further action accordingly.

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The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Andhra Pradesh Hyderabad.
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